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In re Patent Application of:

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Application No.: 10/575,443 Confirmation No.: 1874

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For: FAIL-SAFE PNEUMATICALLY ACTUATED

VALVE WITH FAST TIME RESPONSE AND

ADJUSTABLE CONDUCTANCE

Examiner: J. K. Fristoe, Jr.

## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2009, finally rejecting claims 139 - 144 and 153 - 167, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.